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An Act to confirm a Provisional Order of the Local Government Board relating to the Borough of Salford. A.D. 1882.

[12th July 1882.]

WHEREAS the Local Government Board have, as regards the borough herein mentioned, made the Provisional Order set forth in the Schedule hereto, under the provisions of the Public Health Act, 1875: 38 & 39 Vict. c. 55.

And whereas it is requisite that the said Order should be confirmed by Parliament:

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1. The Order as set out in the Schedule hereto shall be and the same is hereby confirmed, and all the provisions thereof shall, from and after the passing of this Act, have full validity and force. The Order in Schedule confirmed.

2. This Act may be cited as the Local Government Board's Provisional Order Confirmation (No. 8) Act, 1882. Short title.

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SCHEDULE.

BOROUGH OF SALFORD.

Provisional Order for altering certain Local Acts.

To the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses of the Borough of Salford, in the County of Lancaster, being the Sanitary Authority for the Urban Sanitary District of that Borough;—

And to all others whom it may concern.

WHEREAS the Borough of Salford, in the County of Lancaster (herein-after referred to as "the Borough"), is an Urban Sanitary District, of which the Mayor, Aldermen, and Burgesses, acting by the Council (herein-after referred to as "the Corporation"), are the Urban Sanitary Authority;

And whereas the Salford Improvement Act, 1862 (herein-after referred to as "the Act of 1862"), the Salford Improvement Act, 1867 (herein-after referred to as "the Act of 1867"), the Salford Improvement Act, 1870 (herein-after referred to as "the Act of 1870"), and the Salford Tramways and Improvement Act, 1875 (herein-after referred to as "the Act of 1875"), are in force in the Borough;

And whereas by Section 82 of the Act of 1862, the Corporation are (amongst other things) empowered to sell and dispose of the residual products arising from the manufacture of gas;

And whereas by Section 96 of the Act of 1862, provision is made for the recovery of gas rents from persons supplied with gas by the Corporation;

And whereas by Section 97 of the Act of 1862 it is provided that in all cases in which the consumer shall cease to require a supply of gas, and in all cases in which the Corporation are authorised to cut off and take away the supply of gas from any building or land under the provisions of that Act, the Corporation, their officers or workmen, after giving twenty-four hours previous notice to the occupier, may enter into any such building or land, between the hours of nine in the forenoon and four in the afternoon, and remove and carry away any pipe, meter, fittings, or other works the property of the Corporation;

And whereas by Section 107 of the Act of 1862 the Corporation are empowered to demand and receive market tolls not exceeding the sums set forth in Schedule (B.) to that Act annexed;

And whereas by Section 166 of the Act of 1862, every order of the Corporation for freeing from obstruction, sewering, draining, levelling, flagging, paving, macadamising, or otherwise completing any street (not being a highway repairable by the inhabitants at large) is required to be published once in two successive weeks in some newspaper circulating within the Borough, and such

Order is likewise required to be publicly posted in such street for three successive weeks, and the publication thereof as aforesaid is thereby declared to be sufficient notice to all owners, lessees, tenants, occupiers, and others interested in any buildings or land within such street;

And whereas by Section 175 of the Act of 1862, it is provided that the owner of every court shall, to the satisfaction of the Corporation, and within such time as they shall by any order in writing require, flag or lay with any material or preparation approved by the Corporation, such court or such part thereof of which he shall be the owner, and provide such drains or channels at such level through, over, or under the same, or through, over, or under such part thereof, and keep such court or such part thereof as aforesaid, and also such drains or channels, in good repair, and cleanse the same to the satisfaction of the Corporation;

And whereas by Section 199 of the Act of 1862 the Corporation are empowered in certain cases to execute certain works at the expense of the persons who have made default in the execution of the same, and by Sections 200 to 207, both inclusive, of the same Act provision is made for the charging, payment, and recovery of all charges and expenses which are by that Act made payable by or recoverable from the owners of lands or buildings;

And whereas by Section 299 of the Act of 1862 it is provided that no person shall act as driver of any hackney carriage or porter's cart licensed in pursuance of that Act, or as a porter or drover, without first obtaining a license from the Corporation, which license shall be registered by the town clerk, and a fee of one shilling shall be paid for the same, and every such license shall be in force until the same is revoked, except during the time the same may be suspended as therein-after mentioned;

And whereas by Sections 384, 386, 388, 390, and 392 of the Act of 1862 provision is made with respect to the amounts which are to be set apart by the Corporation, in order to provide sinking funds for paying off the moneys borrowed or to be borrowed on the several securities therein mentioned; and by Section 393 of the same Act directions are given with respect to the investment and application of such sinking funds;

And whereas by Section 7 of the Act of 1867 the Corporation are empowered upon certain specified lands to construct, erect, maintain, improve, and extend all such works, buildings, and conveniences as they think requisite for the manufacture and storage of gas;

And whereas in Sections 40 to 49, both inclusive, of the Act of 1867 provision is made for the appointment by the Corporation of an Officer of Health, and for the taking of proceedings for preventing the spread of infectious diseases;

And whereas by Section 13 of the Act of 1870 it is provided that where the Corporation are required by that Act to make any compensation to owners or occupiers of, or persons interested in any premises, the Corporation by agreement may, if they think fit, make the compensation in whole or in part in land or in works;

And whereas by Sections 17, 19, and 21 of the Act of 1867, Sections 388, 390, 392, and 393 of the Act of 1862 are made applicable to the moneys

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which may be from time to time borrowed or reborrowed by the Corporation under the powers of the Act of 1867;

And whereas by Section 42 of the Act of 1870 it is provided that every new court in which it is intended to erect dwelling-houses shall have an open area (exclusive of any building) equal at least to seventy square feet for every dwelling-house in such court, and that such court shall have an entrance of not less than nine feet in width, which entrance shall be open and uncovered;

And whereas by Sections 91, 93, and 95 of the Act of 1870, Section 384, with certain variations, and Sections 388, 392, and 393 of the Act of 1862 are made applicable to the moneys which may be from time to time borrowed or reborrowed by the Corporation under the powers of the Act of 1870;

And whereas by Section 57 of the Act of 1875, the Corporation in the manner and form (mutatis mutandis) provided by the Act of 1862 for borrowing on the security of the borough rate and gasworks, were empowered from time to time to borrow at interest, on the security of the borough rate and the gasworks, for any purposes of the gasworks, and for any purposes the expense of which is by that Act directed to be borne by the borough fund or borough rate, and for any purposes authorised by the Acts of 1862, 1867, and 1870, the Salford Improvement Act, 1871 (herein-after referred to as "the Act of 1871") or the Act of 1875, as to which special provision is not in those Acts otherwise made, any sums of money which, in addition to the sums then due and owing or authorised to be borrowed on that security as aforesaid, should not exceed the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand pounds; and in the event of any part of such last-mentioned sum being repaid by the Corporation, except by means of the sinking fund, or out of the purchase money of any lands sold by the Corporation under the provisions of that Act, the Corporation were empowered to reborrow the same, and for securing the repayment of moneys so borrowed or reborrowed, with interest for the same the Corporation were empowered in the manner and form (mutatis mutandis) provided by the Act of 1862 to assign over the borough rate and gasworks, or any part thereof, to any persons who might advance or lend money to the Corporation;

And whereas by Section 59 of the Act of 1875 for the purpose of carrying the purposes of the Acts of 1862, 1867, 1870, and 1871, and that Act, into execution within the Broughton District, save as regards the gasworks and waterworks, and save as is by those Acts otherwise provided, the Corporation, in the manner and form (mutatis mutandis) provided by the Act of 1862 for borrowing on the security of the Broughton District rates, were empowered from time to time to borrow at interest, on the security of the several rates and assessments authorised to be made and levied within the Broughton District and of all other property for the time being of the Broughton District, any sums of money, which, in addition to the sums of money then due and owing or authorised to be raised on that security as aforesaid, should not exceed the sum of fifty-five thousand pounds; and in the event of any part of such last-mentioned sum being repaid by the Corporation, except by means of the sinking fund, or out of the purchase money of any lands sold by the Corporation under the provisions of this Act, the Corporation were empowered to reborrow the same, and for securing the repayment of the sums so to be borrowed or re-borrowed,

with interest for the same the Corporation were empowered in the manner and form (mutatis mutandis) provided by the Act of 1862 to assign over the said rates and assessments and property to any persons who might advance or lend such money;

And whereas by Section 60 of the Act of 1875, for the purpose of carrying the Acts of 1862, 1867, 1870, and 1871 and that Act into execution within the Pendleton District, save as regards the gasworks and waterworks, and save as was by those Acts otherwise provided, the Corporation, in the manner and form (mutatis mutandis) provided by the Act of 1862 for borrowing on the security of the Pendleton District rates, were empowered from time to time to borrow at interest, on the security of the several rates and assessments authorised to be made and levied within the Pendleton District and of all other property for the time being of the Pendleton District, any sums of money which, in addition to the sums of money then due and owing or authorised to be raised on that security as aforesaid, should not exceed the sum of one hundred and seventy thousand pounds; and in the event of any part of such last-mentioned sum being repaid by the Corporation, except by means of the sinking fund, or out of the purchase money of any lands sold by the Corporation under the provisions of that Act, the Corporation were empowered to reborrow the same, and for securing the repayment of the sums so to be borrowed or reborrowed, with interest for the same, the Corporation were empowered in the manner and form (mutatis mutandis) provided by the Act of 1862, to assign over the said rates and assessments and property to any persons who might advance or lend such money;

And whereas by Section 61 of the Act of 1875, it is provided that there shall from and after the First day of January, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, be annually set apart as a sinking fund a sum being not less than one pound ten shillings per centum on the aggregate amount borrowed under that Act; and that such sinking fund shall be paid as follows;

As to sums borrowed on the security of the borough rate and of the gas works, out of the borough rate or profits of the gas works;

As to sums borrowed on the security of the district rates or other property or income of the Salford, Broughton, or Pendleton Districts respectively, out of the district rates of such districts respectively;

And whereas the moneys which have been set apart as sinking funds under the Acts of 1862, 1867, and 1870, on or before the Twenty-fifth day of March, One thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, amounted in all to the sum of one hundred and eighty-nine thousand and sixty-seven pounds eighteen shillings and elevenpence, and such moneys would on that day have amounted to the sum of two hundred and thirty thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine pounds and seven shillings, if the requirements of the Acts of 1862, 1867, and 1870, in that behalf had been duly complied with from the date of the passing of those Acts;

And whereas by Section 82 of the Act of 1875, the Corporation are empowered in certain cases to obtain and enforce orders for the demolition or alteration of premises unfit for human habitation or in a state dangerous or injurious to health;

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And whereas by Section 87 of the Act of 1875, the Corporation are empowered to make byelaws for the following purposes:—

For regulating the mode of conveyance for the purposes of interment of the body of any person who has died of an infectious disease;

For causing the destruction of articles infected;

For compelling the disinfection of articles and places, and prescribing the mode of such disinfection;

For preventing the sale of infected articles;

For giving power of entry for disinfecting purposes;

For preventing the use of public conveyances by persons suffering from infectious diseases;

And whereas by Section 106 of the Act of 1875, it is provided that any licence to be granted by the Corporation under Section 299 of the Act of 1862 to a porter or drover shall be for such time as the Corporation therein appoint, and may be revoked or suspended by the Corporation at any time;

And whereas by Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, the Local Government Board are empowered, on the application of the Sanitary Authority of any Sanitary District, by Provisional Order, wholly or partially to repeal, alter, or amend any Local Act, other than an Act for the conservancy of rivers, which is in force in any area comprising the whole or part of any such District, and not conferring powers or privileges on any persons or person for their or his own pecuniary benefit, which relates to the same subject-matters as the Public Health Act, 1875;

And whereas the Act of 1862, the Act of 1867, the Act of 1870, and the Act of 1875, are Local Acts within the meaning of Section 303 of the Public Health Act, 1875, and the Corporation have applied to the Local Government Board to issue a Provisional Order to alter and amend the same;

And whereas the Local Government Board, upon receipt of the said application, directed Local Inquiry to be held on the subject thereof, which Inquiry was held, after due public notice, and report has been made to them thereon:

Now therefore, We, the Local Government Board, in pursuance of the powers given to Us by the Statutes in that behalf, do hereby Order that, from and after the date of the Act of Parliament confirming this Order (herein-after referred to as "the commencement of this Order"), the following provisions shall take effect; viz.,—

Art. I. Section 82 of the Act of 1862 and Section 7 of the Act of 1867 shall be altered and amended in such a manner that it shall be lawful for the Corporation, on any lands on which they are authorised to manufacture gas, to utilize and manufacture coal-tar, coke, pitch, asphaltum, and ammoniacal liquor, oil, and all other residual products obtained in the manufacture of gas, and matters producible therefrom, and to sell and dispose of the same at their works or elsewhere, and for the purpose of any such utilization or manufacture, to purchase or otherwise acquire any patent, licence, or other rights, materials, matters, or things that may appear to the Corporation to be necessary.

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Art. II. Section 96 of the Act of 1862 shall be altered and amended so as to provide that any person requesting to have a supply of gas from the Corporation shall, if and when so required in writing by the Corporation, before he is entitled to have the service pipes, fittings, and meter provided and fixed, or to have a supply of gas, give to them such security for the payment of all moneys which may from time to time become due to the Corporation for and in relation to such supply and on account of such service pipes, fittings, and meter provided by the Corporation as he and the Corporation agree on, or as, in default of agreement, shall be determined as by this Order provided. And the Corporation shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds if they shall discontinue the supply of gas to any person having a supply unless such person shall have failed to give to them such security for seven days after the same shall have been demanded by the Corporation.

Art. III. Where any person and the Corporation do not agree on the security to be given, the same shall be determined by a justice, and any single justice shall, on the application of the person and the Corporation, or either of them, determine the nature and amount of the security to be given; and the security may, as the justice thinks fit, be the deposit with the Corporation or with any person approved by the justice, or the prepayment to the Corporation, of a sum of money, or any other security which the justice thinks sufficient and reasonable, and the determination of the justice shall be binding on all parties.

Art. IV. If the security given by any person under Article II. or Article III. of this Order be the deposit with the Corporation of a sum of money not less than two pounds, the Corporation shall pay to such person interest at the rate of four pounds per centum per annum on such sum for the period during which the same remains in their hands.

Art. V. Section 97 of the Act of 1862 shall be altered and amended so as to provide that in all cases in which the Corporation are authorised to cut off and take away the supply of gas from any building or land under the provisions of that Act, and such building or land is unoccupied, the Corporation, their officers, or workmen, after giving forty-eight hours previous notice in writing to the owner by serving the notice on him, or by letter under the hand of the town clerk sent by post addressed to such owner, or if the owner or his address be not known to the Corporation after due inquiry, by fixing such notice for three days on some conspicuous part of such building or land, may enter into such building or land between the hours of nine in the forenoon and four in the afternoon, and remove and carry away any pipe, meter, fittings, or other works, the property of the Corporation.

Art. VI. Section 166 of the Act of 1862 shall be altered and amended so as to extend and apply to any order made by the Corporation under the provisions of Section 175 of that Act.

Art. VII. Section 199 of the Act of 1862 and Section 82 of the Act of 1875 shall be altered and amended in such a manner that the following provisions shall have effect that is to say,

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The Corporation may enter into and fulfil any contract or agreement with the owner of any lands for and with respect to all or any of the following matters; (that is to say),--

1. The construction by the Corporation and such owner jointly or by either of them severally of new streets, highways, sewers, and drains passing through any lands of such owner;
2. The inspection, repair, demolition, alteration, or reconstruction of insanitary buildings;
3. The execution of any work which the Corporation are authorised to compel such owner to execute;
4. The costs, charges, and expenses incurred for or in relation to any of the foregoing matters;

The provisions of Sections 201 to 207, both inclusive, of the Act of 1862, as amended by any subsequent Act shall unless otherwise agreed between the Corporation and such owner, extend and apply to the charging, payment, and recovery of such costs, charges, and expenses.

Art. VIII. So much of Section 106 of the Act of 1875 as provides that any licence to be granted by the Corporation under Section 299 of the Act of 1862, to a porter or drover shall be for such time as the Corporation therein appoint, is hereby repealed, and Section 299 of the Act of 1862 shall be altered and amended by the omission of all words following the words "town clerk" and the substitution of the following words; that is to say,—

"and the following fees shall be paid for the same; namely,—

"For every driver's licence, one shilling.

"For every porter's or drover's licence, five shillings.

" and every licence shall be in force for twelve months, subject to the provisions " for the time being in force in the borough with respect to the revocation or " suspension of such licences respectively." Provided that licences for any shorter period than twelve months may be granted to drivers of hackney carriages which shall ply for hire within the borough during any day on which races are held therein.

Art. IX. Schedule (B.) of the Act of 1862 shall be altered and amended by the substitution in that schedule of the following tolls for the following animals; (that is to say),—

	£	s.	d.
For every ass or mule - - - - -	0	0	6
For every score of sheep or lambs - - -	0	1	8
For every pig - - - - - -	0	0	3
For every skip or crate of sucking pigs containing not exceeding six	0	0	9
For every skip or crate of sucking pigs containing more than six -	0	1	6

in lieu of the tolls mentioned in respect of the like animals in that Schedule, and Section 107 of the Act of 1862 shall be read and construed accordingly.

Art. X. Sections 40 to 49, both inclusive, of the Act of 1867 and Section 87 of the Act of 1875, shall be altered and amended, so as to provide that in order to secure that due notice be given to the Corporation of any inmate of any

building used for human habitation within the Borough who is suffering from any infectious disease, the following provisions shall have effect; (that is to say),

(1.) If any such inmate be suffering from infectious disease, the occupier or person having the management or control of such building, or if such occupier or person is prevented by reason of such disease, then the person in charge of such inmate, shall, so soon as he shall become aware of the existence in any such inmate of any such disease, forthwith give notice to the medical officer of health at his office of the existence in such inmate of such disease;

(2.) If such inmate be not a member of the family of such occupier or person, the head of the family (resident in such building) to which such inmate belongs, or if there be no such head, or if he be prevented by reason of such disease, then the person in charge of such inmate, and if there be no such person, then such inmate (unless prevented by reason of such disease or of youth) shall, on becoming aware of the existence in such inmate or in his own person, as the case may be, of such disease, forthwith give notice thereof to such occupier or person;

(3.) The Corporation shall provide and supply gratuitously to every registered medical practitioner resident or practising in the Borough forms for the certificate by such medical practitioner of the particulars herein-after mentioned in relation to such cases, according to the form set forth in the Schedule hereto;

(4.) Every medical practitioner attending on or called in to visit such inmate shall, on becoming aware that such inmate is suffering from any infectious disease, forthwith fill up, sign, and send, by post or otherwise, to the medical officer of health at his office a certificate stating, according to the forms prescribed and supplied to him by the Corporation, the name of such inmate, the situation of such building, and the name of such occupier or person, and the nature of the disease from which, in the opinion of such medical practitioner, such inmate is suffering, and the delivery of such certificate, duly filled up and signed as aforesaid, at the office of the medical officer of health, shall be deemed to be a sufficient fulfilment of the requirements of sub-divisions (1) and (2) of this Article;

(5.) The Corporation shall pay to every medical practitioner who shall, in pursuance of this Article, duly make and give any such certificate, a fee of two shillings and sixpence for every such certificate: Provided that the same medical practitioner shall not be required under this Article to give more than one certificate, and shall not be entitled to more than one fee in respect of certificates given by him, within an interval of thirty days, in respect of the same disease occurring in the same building;

and any person who shall offend against the provisions of this Article (unless ignorant thereof, the burden of the proof of which shall be on him) shall, for every such offence be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds, which shall be recoverable in the same manner as penalties imposed by the Act of 1862 are recoverable.

In this Order the expression "infectious disease" means small-pox, typhus fever, typhoid fever, scarlatina, diphtheria, cholera, relapsing fever, and puerperal

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fever, and such other diseases as the Corporation, under the provisions of Article XI. of this Order, may from time to time order to be deemed an infectious disease within and subject to the provisions of this Order.

Art. XI. The Act of 1867 and the Act of 1875 shall be further altered and amended so as to provide that the Corporation may from time to time, by resolution made on the report of their medical officer of health, and sanctioned by the Local Government Board, order that any infectious disease other than those mentioned in Article X. of this Order shall be deemed to be an infectious disease within and subject to the provisions of this Order. Any such Order of the Corporation may be permanent or temporary only, and, if temporary, the period during which it is to continue in force shall be specified therein; and the Corporation shall give public notice of the resolution by publishing the same by advertisement in at least three local newspapers circulating in the Borough, and after such public notice has been given, the provisions of this Order shall, so long as such Order of the Corporation continues in force, apply to the disease specified therein in like manner in all respects as if the disease were an infectious disease specifically mentioned in Article X. of this Order. The production of the newspapers containing a copy of the resolution of the Corporation shall be conclusive evidence that public notice of such resolution has been given.

Art. XII. The Act of 1867 and the Act of 1875 shall be further altered and amended, so as to enable the Corporation from time to time,

(1.) to provide temporary shelter or house accommodation for the members of any family in which any infectious disease has appeared, and who have been compelled to leave their dwellings for the purpose of enabling such dwellings to be disinfected; and

(2.) to provide or contract with any person or persons to provide nurses for attendance upon persons suffering from any infectious disease within the Borough, and to charge a reasonable sum for the service of any nurse provided by them.

Art. XIII. The Act of 1867 and the Act of 1875 shall be further altered and amended, so as to provide that any person who hires or uses a public conveyance other than a hearse for the conveyance of the corpse of a person who has died from any infectious disease, without previously notifying to the owner or driver of such public conveyance that the person whose corpse is or is intended to be so conveyed, has died from infectious disease, and any owner or driver of a public conveyance other than a hearse which has been used for conveying the corpse of a person who has died from infectious disease, who shall not immediately afterwards provide for the disinfection of such conveyance, shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five pounds, which shall be recoverable in the same manner as penalties imposed by the Act of 1862 are recoverable.

Art. XIV. Section 13 of the Act of 1870, shall be altered and amended by the substitution of the word "any" for the word "this."

Art. XV. Section 42 of the Act of 1870 shall be altered and amended by the substitution of the words "one hundred and eighty" for the word "seventy," and the substitution of the words "five yards" for the words "nine feet."

Provided that this Article shall not affect the erection in any court of dwelling-houses, the plans of which may have been approved before the commencement of this Order.

Art. XVI. Section 57 of the Act of 1875 shall be altered and amended so as to enable the Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, to borrow on the security of the borough rate and gasworks of the Corporation, in the manner and form provided by that section, subject to the conditions therein contained, and for the purposes therein mentioned, any sum or sums not exceeding in the whole the sum of one hundred and twenty thousand pounds, in addition to the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand pounds, authorised to be borrowed under that section.

Provided that of the said sum of one hundred and twenty thousand pounds no more than ninety-eight thousand pounds shall be expended for the purposes of the gasworks of the Corporation, and no more than twenty-three thousand six hundred pounds for the other purposes mentioned in that section.

Art. XVII. Section 59 of the Act of 1875 shall be altered and amended, so as to enable the Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, to borrow, on the security of the Broughton District rates in the manner and form provided by that section, subject to the conditions therein contained, and for the purposes therein mentioned, any sum or sums not exceeding in the whole the sum of ten thousand pounds, in addition to the sum of fifty-five thousand pounds authorised to be borrowed under that section.

Art. XVIII. Section 60 of the Act of 1875 shall be altered and amended so as to enable the Corporation, with the sanction of the Local Government Board, to borrow on the security of the Pendleton District rates in the manner and form provided by that section and subject to the conditions therein contained and for the purposes therein mentioned, any sum or sums not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty thousand pounds, in addition to the sum of one hundred and seventy thousand pounds authorised to be borrowed under that section.

Art. XIX. Sections 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, and 393 of the Act of 1862, Sections 17, 19, and 21 of the Act of 1867, Sections 91, 93, and 95 of the Act of 1870, and Section 61 of the Act of 1875 shall be repealed, and in lieu thereof it shall be provided that all moneys borrowed by the Corporation under the Act of 1862, the Act of 1867, the Act of 1870, and the Act of 1875, other than moneys repaid by the sums required to be appropriated and set apart under Article XXI. of this Order or by sinking funds set apart before the commencement of this Order, shall be repaid by the Corporation within a period of fifty-seven years from the commencement of this Order, either by equal annual instalments of principal, or of principal and interest, or by setting apart in every year as a sinking fund such a sum or sums as will according to a reasonable calculation for the time being with accumulations in the way of compound interest be sufficient after payment of all expenses to pay off the money so borrowed within the said period.

If the repayment be by means of a sinking fund, the Corporation shall invest the same in the purchase of exchequer bills or other government securities, or in securities in which trustees are by law for the time being authorised to invest,

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or in mortgages, debentures, debenture stock, or other securities, issued by any Local Authority as defined by Section 34 of the Local Loans Act, 1875, other than the Corporation, with liberty from time to time to vary and transpose such investments, and at any time to apply the whole or any part of the sinking fund in or towards the discharge of the money for the repayment of which the fund is established: Provided, that the Corporation pay into the fund each year, and accumulate until the whole of the money borrowed is discharged a sum equivalent to the interest which would have been produced by the sinking fund or the part of the sinking fund so applied.

Art. XX. The provisions with respect to the reborrowing of money contained in the Act of 1862, the Act of 1867, the Act of 1870, and the Act of 1875, shall be altered and amended so as to provide that if the Corporation pay off any moneys borrowed by them under any of the said Acts, otherwise than by instalments, or than by means of a sinking fund, or than out of the proceeds of the sale of land, they may from time to time reborrow the same, but all moneys so reborrowed shall be repaid within the period prescribed for the repayment of the moneys originally borrowed, and shall be deemed to form the same loan as the moneys originally borrowed, and the obligations of the Corporation with respect to the repayment of the loan and to the provision to be made for such repayment shall not be diminished by reason of such reborrowing.

Art. XXI. The Corporation shall, within fifteen years from the commencement of this Order, out of the rates, funds, and revenues, out of which the same should have been appropriated and set apart, appropriate and set apart as sinking funds, the amounts which before the commencement of this Order, should have been so appropriated and set apart, in accordance with the requirements in that behalf contained in the Acts of 1862, 1867, and 1870, respectively, and which have not been so appropriated and set apart, and the amounts to be annually appropriated and set apart under this Article shall be such as the Corporation with the approval of the Local Government Board shall in each year determine.

Art. XXII. The Corporation shall apply all sums appropriated and set apart under Article XXI. of this Order, and all sums standing to the credit of sinking funds at the commencement of this Order in respect of moneys borrowed under the Acts of 1862, 1867, and 1870, or either of such Acts, in the repayment of the principal moneys in respect of which such sums were respectively appropriated and set apart as sinking funds, and pending such application shall invest such sums in any of the securities, in which sinking funds may be invested under Article XIX. of this Order.

Art. XXIII. The Treasurer of the Borough shall, within twenty-one days after the Twenty-fifth day of March in every year during which any sum is required to be paid as an instalment, or to be set apart for a sinking fund under this Order, transmit to the Local Government Board a return in such form as may be prescribed by that Board, and verified by statutory declaration, if so required by them, showing the amounts which have been paid as instalments, and the amounts which have been invested or applied for the purposes of such sinking fund during the year next preceding the making of such return, and the description of the securities upon which any investment has been made, and the purposes to which any portion of the sinking fund or investment,

or of the sums accumulated by way of interest, has been applied during the same period, and the total amounts (if any) remaining invested at the end of the year; and in the event of any wilful default in making such return, such Treasurer shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding twenty pounds, which shall be paid to the Local Government Board, and shall be recoverable by that Board in the same manner as penalties recoverable under the Public Health Act, 1875, in a summary manner, may be recovered by parties aggrieved within the meaning of that Act.

Art. XXIV. If it appears to the Local Government Board, by that return or otherwise, that the Corporation have failed to pay any instalment required to be paid, or to set apart any sum required for such sinking fund, or have applied any portion of the money set apart for such sinking fund, or of the sums accumulated by way of interest, to any purposes other than those authorised, they may, by Order, direct that a sum not exceeding double the amount in respect of which default has been made shall be paid by way of instalment, or be set apart and invested, or applied as part of such sinking fund; and any such Order shall be enforceable by writ of mandamus, to be obtained by the Local Government Board out of Her Majesty's High Court of Justice.

The SCHEDULE above referred to.

Certificate of Disease.

SALFORD PROVISIONAL ORDER, 1882.

To the Corporation of the Borough of Salford.

I hereby certify and declare that in my opinion the under-mentioned person is suffering from an infectious disease within the terms of the above Order.

Dated the day of , 18 .

(Signed)

Name of person suffering from the disease _____

Situation of the building wherein such person is - - - - _____

Name of occupier or other person having the charge, management, or control of the building or room - - _____

Nature of the disease - - - _____

Note.—This certificate must (under penalty of five pounds in case of neglect) be forthwith sent to the Medical Officer of Health at his office.

Given under the Seal of Office of the Local Government Board, this Sixteenth day of May, in the year One thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

J. G. DODSON, President.

(L.S.) JOHN LAMBERT, Secretary.

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